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**COMMUNICATION UNDER 37
C.F.R. §1.28(c)**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit under 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c) authorization to pay supplementary fees and consideration of the remarks set forth herein. The following documents are enclosed herewith:

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REMARKS

Please change the status of the above-identified application, U.S. Serial Number 10/027,404, filed December 19, 2001 from small entity status to large entity status. MPEP 509.03, 7th ed., July, 1998.

Applicants no longer claim the benefit of small entity status for the above-identified patent and wish to submit supplemental large entity fee(s) as follows.

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